UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine Washington, D. C.

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Sec. 301.52-4a--Administrative Instructions Modifying the Pink Bollworm quarantine
regulations by suspending treatment requirements of designated articles from
the counties of Brooks, Jim Wells, Kenedy,
Kleberg, and Nucces, Texas

Under authority contained in the second proviso in Notice of Quarantine No. 52, revised (Sec. 301.52), and having determined that facts exist as to the pest risk involved which make it safe to modify, by making less stringent, the restrictions contained in paragraphs (a) and (c) of regulation 4 (Sec. 301.52-4) of the pink bollworm quarantine, notice is hereby given that baled linters and products thereof, cottonseed hulls, cake, and meal produced in the counties of Brooks, Jim Wells, Kenedy, Kleberg, and Nucces, Tex., may be moved interstate therefrom without restriction other than (1) that the products have been produced in an autorized oil mill and subsequently protected from contamination, and (2) that a certificate issued by the United States Department of Agriculture has been obtained and attached to the containers or shipping papers, in accordance with the requirements of regulation 11 (Sec. 301.52-11).

The removal of certain treatment requirements for the above-mentioned products is due to the fact that a light infestation of the pink bollworm was discovered in the affected area at the peak of the 1938 ginning season, and facilities were not available for sterilization of the cottonseed from which these products are being manufactured.

This modification shall remain in effect until April 30, 1939: Provided, That products manufactured prior to that date will be eligible for certification subsequent therete.

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